

The Wellesley Rotascope

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June 21, 2022

Tuesday, July 5, 2022,
NO MEETING...

Tuesday, July 19,
2022—Service & Fellowship meeting—6:30

Tuesday, August 2,
2022—Service & Fellowship meeting—6:30

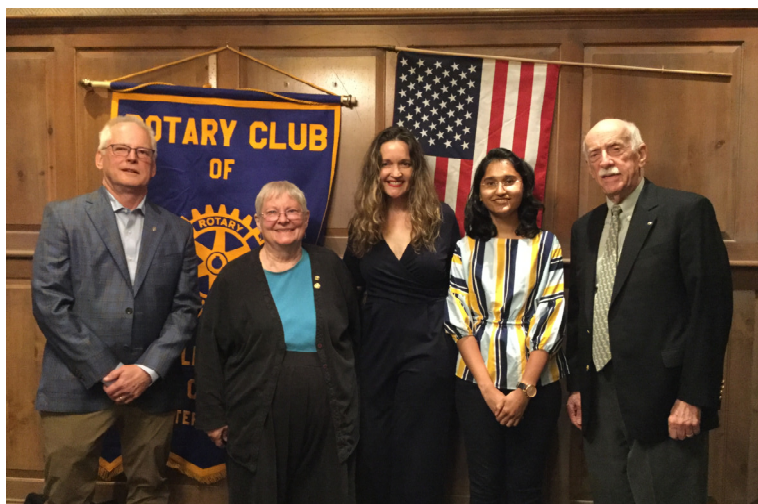
Tuesday, August 16,
2022—TBA

Tuesday, September 6,
2022—Annual DG Visit (DG Victor Tom) - 6:30

Tuesday, September 20,
2022—TBA



NO MEETING— July 5th
Next meeting—July 19th



**Wellesley
Rotary's
annual
Installation:**

(l. to r.): President **Bill Westerman**;
DGND **Joyce Graff**; Past President, **Linda Tighe**;
Prajakta Jagtap,
and Rotarian **Tory DeFazio**.

The Rotary Club of Wellesley Mission Statement

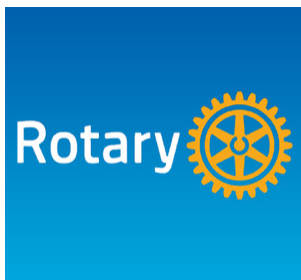
“To serve others with a focus on strengthening communities in the areas of health, education and sustainable living.”

PLEASE NOTE

A *Service and Fellowship* meeting is usually held on the **first Tuesday of the month** and a *Rotary speaker* meeting on the **third Tuesday**.

Support **Prajakta Jagtap** at Babson College with her living expenses. Contribute at:
<https://gofund.me/4890e8d0>

Eighteen gathered on Tuesday, June 21st for the annual Club Installation. We welcomed PP **Mike Cave**, **Robert Huttig**, **Paul Schwartzman**, **Mishawn Davis-Eyene** from MBCC, and Babson MBA student **Prajakta Jagtap**. President **Linda Tighe**, “fascinated” with the Club’s Rotary bell, called the meeting to order with the Pledge followed by an Invocation by **Toby Kell**. *Happy Dollars* came from **Armentano**, **Rowbotham**, **Westerman**, **Hayden**, **Schwartzman**, **Adams**, **Spoto** and **Tighe**. **Mishawn**, as Executive Director of Development at MBCC, gave appreciation for Rotary’s support in the areas of food insecurity funding, and urged support for their general scholarship funding which is badly needed. She described it as “life-changing” for the students. *...continued*



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MEETINGS: 1st & 3rd Tuesday Evenings at 6:30 P.M.
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Robert Huttig of MBCC gave us another view of food insecurity on campus. “Choices can be earth-shaking.” Rotaract has helped bond the students by restarting many programs affected by COVID. He urged support for the winter clothing drive. **Tory DeFazio** then presented a comprehensive list of accomplishments done by out-going President, **Linda Tighe**. Linda made appropriate comments singling out many members for their contributions. “It was a rewarding and wonderful experience.” She then announced that Rotarian **Gary Arthur** was the 2022-2023 “Rotarian of the Year”. Congratulations Gary! Tory gave special welcome to **PP Mike Cave, Prajakta Jagtap** and presented what the Club is doing to recognize the accomplishments of the late **Joe Grignaffini**. This was followed by a moment of silence in his memory. He then introduced **DGND Joyce Graff** of Brookline Rotary who officiated in installing the officers and members of the Board of Directors for 2022-2023. She then gave the oath to incoming President, **Bill Westerman**. Linda gave Bill the “President’s Pin”. Bill made comments about his upcoming year and presented the past-president’s pin to Linda along with an the appreciation plaque. He effused compliments about Linda’s year describing her “always lively enthusiasm”. He reminded everyone that “Attendance is everything.” **Patrick Hayden** had glowing words for Linda’s year that were warmly received by everyone present. Thanks Linda! The meeting adjourned with the traditional “gong” of the Club’s bell. ♥♥♥♥♥

Thank you for giving to

The Rotary Foundation.

With your support we’ve been able to fund projects in communities that need our help the most. But we have more work to do. Every day Rotary members respond to challenges big and small, emerging and ongoing. And when members like you participate through service or with a donation to our Foundation, we make an even bigger impact. Here’s what we’ve accomplished...

- **Help refugees.** Rotary supports refugees around the world, providing humanitarian aid to people affected by the war in Ukraine, helping new arrival in South Korea integrate into society, and giving shelter to families fleeing conflict in Syria.
- **Provide Clean water.** Rotary clubs are working together and with local communities on projects such as constructing wells in rural Ethiopia and supporting peace by providing clean water in Papua New Guinea.

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BIRTHDAYS

Joe Roberts (6/16)

ANNIVERSARIES

Tory & Sheila DeFazio (6/7)

Linda & Ken Tighe (6/15)